GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Health, Medical & Family Welfare Department – V&E - Allegations made against Sri C.Jayasekhar, the then Administrative Officer, O/o DM&HO, Chittoor (now retired) on misuse of funds in purchase of Emergency/Essential medicines – Charges framed – WP No.18736 of 2019 – Implementation of Court orders – Orders – Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (VC.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 724 Dated: 22-10-2025
Read the following: -

1	From the Director General, GA (V&E) Department, Vigilance Report No.10, C.No.2450/V&E/D2/2013), Dated: 29-01-2018.
2	G.O.Ms.No.53, HM&FW(VC.1) Department, dated:09-05-2018 and G.O.Rt.No.173, HM&FW (VC.1) Department, dated: 09-05-2018.
3	From the Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada, R.C.No.2010/VC.II.A/2014, dated: 05-11-2018.
4	G.O.Rt.No.278, HM&FW(VC-I) Department, dated:12.07.2019.
5	G.O.Rt.No.199, HM&FW(VC-I) Department, dated:18.03.2020.
6	Orders dated: 26.06.2025 of the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh in W.P.No.18736/2019.

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ORDER:

Whereas in the reference 1st read above, the DG, V&E has recommended to take action as deemed fit against the officials responsible for the procedural irregularities in the procurement process of the emergency drugs.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, departmental action was initiated by framing Articles of Charges against Sri C. Jayasekhar, the then Administrative Officer, O/o DM&HO, Chittoor (now retired), and the Written Statement of Defence (WSD) was furnished to the Government by the Director of Public Health, vide reference 3rd read above.

3. In the reference 4th read above, Sri J. Sathyanarayana, I.P.S (Retd.), Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department, was appointed as the Inquiring Authority to inquire into the charges framed against Sri C. Jayasekhar, the then Administrative Officer, O/o DM&HO, Chittoor (now retired), along with other charged officers.

4. Aggrieved by the above, Sri C. Jayasekhar, the then Administrative Officer, filed W.P. No. 18736 of 2019 before the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh, and the Hon'ble Court, in its orders dated 26.06.2025, in the reference 6th read above, passed the following order:

> "Considering the submissions made, as rightly put by learned counsel for the petitioner in the light of the orders passed in W.P(AT).No.2233 of 2021, dated 07.04.2025, wherein the charge memo issued to the petitioner itself was set aside, then the appointment of Enquiry Officer does not stand for legal scrutiny.
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> In that view, the writ petition is disposed of. No order as to costs.
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> As a sequel thereto, miscellaneous petitions pending, if any, shall stand closed."

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5. In light of the orders passed by the Hon’ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh in W.P. No. 18736 of 2019, and after careful examination of the matter, the Government hereby decides to set aside the charge memo issued in the reference 2nd read above, through which departmental action was initiated by framing Articles of Charges against Sri C. Jayasekhar, the then Administrative Officer, O/o DM&HO, Chittoor (now retired), and to drop further action in the matter.

6. The Director of Public Health and Family Welfare, AP, Vijayawada shall take necessary action in the matter, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

SAURABH GAUR
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri.C.Jayasekhar, the then Administrative Officer, O/o DM&HO, Chittoor
(now retired) (through the Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada.)
The Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada.
Copy to:
The OSD to Hon'ble Minister (HFW&ME).
The PS to Secretary to Government, HM&FW Department.
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